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- - On 4 August the Wenchou Military Sub-District Command (WMSDC) ordered elements of the 309 Regiment, 103 Division, to stop the advance of Nationalist guerrillas who had reached the Shihkaifou (在 蓋 埤) area。
 - On 4 August 150 Nationalist guerrillas crossed from the Shihkaifou-Jenkung (仁宮) area to the north bank of the Ou (120-, 28-) River and advanced westward. These troops had landed in the Paich'i (121-08, 28-22) area on 24 July.
 - On 5 August the UMSDC notified elements of the 309 Regiment in the Chiulung (儿 稿) area, south of Chiuanliao (120-13, 28-16), that a garrison company of the UMSDC had engaged Nationalist guerrillas in combat that day. The 309 Regiment had arrived in Chiulung on 4 or 5 August. The 309 Regiment was ordered to send troops to the north bank of the Ou Riverl immediately to attack Nationalist guerrillas in that area. Elements of the 309 Regiment, equipped with 2 x 60mm guns and 15 light machine guns, Thompson sub-machine guns, and carbines, crossed the Ou River to its north bank in pursuit of guerrillas on 5 August.
 -)2 to direct operations of the On 5 August the WISDC assigned IO (A 309 Regiment against Nationalist guerrillas. On 6 August IO temporarily organized troops under his command into three guerrilla suppression battalions. On 6 August the WASDC ordered elements of the 309 Regiment to take up positions extending from Ch'uanliao through Haik'ou (120-05, 28-20) to the area northwest of Ch'ingt'ien (120-17, 28-09) to impede Nationalist guerrilla movement in that area. A guards battalion of Ch'ingt'ien was also ordered to take up positions in the Ch'engmen (城門) area, west of Ch'ingt'ien, to prevent Nationalist guerrillas from advancing south across that area.
 - On 7 August two companies of the 309 Regiment plus the Wenchou Guards Battalion and a reconnaissance company of the Chekiang 5 Military Sub-District were advancing from the Houk'engk'ou (後 社 2)-Kaoshih (120-07, 28-17) area in pursuit of Nationalist guerrillas in the T'ienp'u (明 第)-Shuangchienshan (雙尖山) area。

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- On 7 August elements of the 309 Regiment and the enchou Independent 60 Battalion3 under the overall command of SUN (A), commander of the Menchou Independent Battalion, arrived in the area south of Chenfou (發達) in pursuit of Nationalist guerrillas in the Yingchia (應家) area, northwest of Chingtien.
- On 7 August other elements of the 309 Regiment and the entire Guards Company of the Chekiang ? Military District Command under the overall command of ID arrive at Tienpu, west of Chiunliao. They were planning to move to Chi Chu Ts'un, south of T'ienp'u, on 8 August.
- On 7 August the Chin Tun (120-03, 28-39) Independent Battalion arrived at Chienshan (尖山), northwest of Ch'ingt'ien.
- On 8 August the WASDC ordered elements of the Chringtien Independent Batta-9, lion in Jenkung, northeast of the Chrongmen to prevent guerrillas from advancing south to Peishan (120-23, 27-25).
 - Comment. Probably in the Chiulung area.
 - Comment. A previous report stated that ID Chen was commander the Ching Pi Brigade in the Lenchou, Tochling, Julan, and Plingyang 25% TACS. See A previous report stated that ID Chen was commander of
 - Comment. This is probably the Tenchou Guards Battalion mentioned in paragraph 5.